GOVERNMENT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES

PUBLIC SERVICES COMMISSION

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES OF)	Docket No. 601
ST. JOHN, INC. AND VARLACK VENTURES,)	Order No. <u>06</u> /2014
INC. PETITION FOR RATE INCREASE)	
)	
		

<u>ORDER</u>

WHEREAS, on February 1, 2012, pursuant to Title 30, Section 25 of the Virgin Islands Code, the Virgin Islands Public Services Commission ("PSC" or "Commission") assessed Transportation Services of St. John, Inc. (hereinafter "Transportation Services") \$24,289.80 in Order No. 7/2012; and

WHEREAS, on June 18, 2012, the Commission granted Transportation Services a ninety (90) day extension of time to submit its outstanding annual assessments for fiscal years: 2010, 2011 and 2012; and

WHEREAS, on September 28, 2012, the Commission assessed Transportation Services \$19,175.45 in Order No. 33/2012; and

WHEREAS, on November 14, 2012, Transportation Services remitted partial payment to the PSC in the amount of \$22,850.87 in accordance with Order 7/2012; and

WHEREAS, the PSC's records indicate that Transportation Services failed to pay the full amounts assessed in Order Numbers 7/2012 and 33/2012; and

WHEREAS, on September 23, 2013, Transportation Services filed a petition with the Public Services Commission (hereinafter "PSC" or the "Commission") requesting an extension of time for one hundred-twenty (120) days to pay assessments; and

WHEREAS, on September 24, 2013, the Commission held a regular meeting in the its offices on both St. Thomas and St. Croix; and

WHEREAS, upon review and deliberation the Commission voted to **DENY** Transportation Services' request for an extension of time to pay assessments; and

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WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 39(b) of the Virgin Islands Code, the Commission referred this matter to the United States Virgin Islands Department of Justice for further action.

NOW THEREFORE, the Commission hereby ORDERS that:

- 1. Transportation Services' request for an extension of time to pay assessments is **DENIED.**
- 2. The matter will be referred to the Department of Justice for further action.

So Ordered.

Dated: October 15, 2013

For Commission

M. Thomas Jackson, Chair